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GORYACHEV, Fedor Stepanovich First Secretary, Novosibirsk
Oblast Party Committee

Goryachev is a typical regional party functionary. A member of the Communist Party since 1927, he has occupied posts at the oblast level of party administration since at least 1945. He served first as secretary of the oblast committee in Penza, and in 1947 transferred to Tyumen oblast as second secretary (presumably for industrial affairs). He was first secretary in Tyumen from 1952 to 1956, and then ran the party in Kalinin oblast until he was transferred to head the Novosibirsk organization in January 1959. Like many oblast party first secretaries in the Russian republic, he is a member of the party central committee. He is 54 years old.